

1st Ward Spiritual Leaders

Name	Office Apptd to:	By:	Where	Date Apptd	Date Released
1. William Meeks	Preside Elder	B.Y.	Provo	1858	Spring 1860 resigned
2. William Madison Wall	Preside Elder			Spring 1860	
1. John M. Murdoch	^{2 James} Laird				
2. James Laird					
3. Joseph Stacy Murdock	^{Presiding} Bish 1861 of Heber Ward			1861	1867
1. John Wesley Witt					
2. Thomas Rasband					
John Hamilton Ward Clerk					
4. Abram Hatch	2 nd Bishop			1867	1877
5. Abram Hatch	1 st Stake Pres			1877	

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Elisha Thomas

James Carlile

George Carlile

Jane Clotworthy (widow)

Elizabeth Carlile (widow)

Chas C Thomas (unmd. lived w bro. Elisha)

(No record of # of women & children)

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1st Child born = Timpanogos Davidson = dau. of Wm & Ellen Davidson

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1860

Spring - Wm Madison Wall was appointed Presiding Elder in Provo River Valley, w John M Murdock & James Laird as counselors.

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1860

By Summer 200 people were working & living in Valley & in "North Field" was planted

1860

24 July Pioneer Day Celebration in Log School-Church inside (26x40') Fort

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Name of "Heber" given to Town - because most were converts from Great Britain & Heber C Kimball was in chg of 1st Missionary Group to " ".

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1860

Harvest Season - Smith & Bullock brot 1st threshing machine into the Valley. Threshers - horse driven & was slow

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p8 1859 - June 15th? Jesse Fuller = deputy Utah Co Surveyor
started laying out London Townsite: Blocks 12
rods square Fort Area

p8 After log houses built, "men went back to Provo
to get their families & bring them to Provo River
Valley.

p10 Others came:

Thomas H Giles

John Giles

Hiram Oaks

p10 1859-60 - Winter 18 Families decided to stay:

Thomas Rasband

orig. John Crook

orig. Chas Nagus Carroll

orig. John Jordan

Alexander Sessions

Bradford Sessions

Hiram Oaks

John Lee



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1858-9 winter 11 families preparing to settle in Heber

p7 1859 - 30 Apr 11 Men, 3 wagons, teams, oxen, started up Provo Canyon: Wm Meeks = leader

Thomas Rasband

John Crook

Charles N Carroll

John Carlile

John Jordan

Henry Chatwin

Jesse Bond

James Carlile

Wm Giles Jr

Wm Carpenter

George Carlile

p8 1859 1st May These Men arrived @ Wm M. Wall ranch in low end of Provo River Valley.

p8 " 2nd May Arrived at or near present Heber

Wm Davidson & Family w^m plowing ~ 2 yoke of oxen

Robert Broadhead } had similar outfit between
James Davis } them

so recent missionaries Then the 11 traveled 1 mi. no. to a large spring London
in island " Each plow had 2 oxen about 8 yoke